

# SEPTEMBER 1, 2012 REPORTING DEADLINE



Is your company a small trucking fleet that owns 20 or fewer 53' van trailers and operates in California?

If so, now is the time to take advantage of additional compliance options in California's new greenhouse gas regulation.



Fleets that operate 53' or longer dry-van and reefer-van trailers in California, regardless where the vehicle is licensed, need to comply with a new regulation designed to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. The Tractor-Trailer GHG Regulation requires the use of aerodynamic technologies and low rolling resistance tires on both trailers and tractors (for tractor requirements please go to our website using the link at the bottom of this page).

Currently, all 2011 and newer model year (MY) trailers must already comply with the regulation. However, fleets with 2010 and older trailers have additional time to comply with the timelines given below:

- All fleets must comply with the aerodynamic equipment requirements by January 1, 2013, or participate in one of the phase-in compliance options:
- **Small trailer fleets (20 or fewer trailers): September 1, 2012 is the deadline to register with ARB for the phase-in compliance option for 2010 MY and older trailers.** This option allows small fleets up to four years from 2013 through 2016 to phase in compliance of their California-bound trailers with approved aerodynamic equipment. Information to prepare and submit your plan is available at: [www.arb.ca.gov/smallfleetplan](http://www.arb.ca.gov/smallfleetplan)
- Large trailer fleets (21 or more trailers) must have all their California-bound trailers in compliance by January 1, 2013, unless they already registered by June 1, 2012 with ARB for the large fleet phase-in compliance option for 2010 MY and older trailers. Information for large fleets is available at: [www.arb.ca.gov/largefleetplan](http://www.arb.ca.gov/largefleetplan)
- All trailer fleets have until January 1, 2017 to retrofit their trailers with low rolling resistance tires.

**For more information, including whether you qualify for any exemptions, please visit:**

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